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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER IN THE INVESTIGATION OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (C-570-953)

1. ON 09/01/2010, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER ON NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (C-570-953) (75 FR 53642).

2. THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THE ORDER IS NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE, IN ANY LENGTH, BUT WITH A WIDTH (MEASURED AT THE NARROWEST SPAN OF THE RIBBON) LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 12 CENTIMETERS, COMPOSED OF, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, MAN-MADE FIBERS (WHETHER ARTIFICIAL OR SYNTHETIC, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO NYLON, POLYESTER, RAYON, POLYPROPYLENE, AND POLYETHYLENE TERAPHTHALATE), METAL THREADS AND/OR METALIZED YARNS, OR ANY COMBINATION THEREOF. NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS SUBJECT TO THE ORDER MAY:

- ALSO INCLUDE NATURAL OR OTHER NON-MAN-MADE FIBERS;
- BE OF ANY COLOR, STYLE, PATTERN, OR WEAVE CONSTRUCTION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO SINGLE-FACED SATIN, DOUBLE-FACED SATIN, GROSGRAIN, SHEER, TAFFETA, TWILL, JACQUARD, OR A COMBINATION OF TWO OR MORE COLORS, STYLES, PATTERNS, AND/OR WEAVE CONSTRUCTIONS;
- HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO, OR COMPOSED OF MATERIALS THAT HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO, VARIOUS TREATMENTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO DYEING, PRINTING, FOIL STAMPING, EMBOSSING, FLOCKING, COATING, AND/OR SIZING;
- HAVE EMBELLISHMENTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO APPLIQUÉ, FRINGES, EMBROIDERY, BUTTONS, GLITTER, SEQUINS, LAMINATES, AND/OR ADHESIVE BACKING;
- HAVE WIRE AND/OR MONOFILAMENT IN, ON, OR ALONG THE LONGITUDINAL EDGES OF THE RIBBON;
- HAVE ENDS OF ANY SHAPE OR DIMENSION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO STRAIGHT ENDS THAT ARE PERPENDICULAR TO THE LONGITUDINAL EDGES OF THE RIBBON, TAPERED ENDS, FLARED ENDS OR SHAPED ENDS, AND THE ENDS OF SUCH WOVEN

RIBBONS MAY OR MAY NOT BE HEMMED;

- HAVE LONGITUDINAL EDGES THAT ARE STRAIGHT OR OF ANY SHAPE, AND THE LONGITUDINAL EDGES OF SUCH WOVEN RIBBON MAY OR MAY NOT BE PARALLEL TO EACH OTHER;
- CONSIST OF SUCH RIBBONS AFFIXED TO LIKE RIBBON AND/OR CUT-EDGE WOVEN RIBBON, A CONFIGURATION ALSO KNOWN AS AN "ORNAMENTAL TRIMMING;"
- BE WOUND ON SPOOLS; ATTACHED TO A CARD; HANKED (I.E., COILED OR BUNDLED); PACKAGED IN BOXES, TRAYS OR BAGS; OR CONFIGURED AS SKEINS, BALLS, BATEAUS OR FOLDS; AND/OR
- BE INCLUDED WITHIN A KIT OR SET SUCH AS WHEN PACKAGED WITH OTHER PRODUCTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO GIFT BAGS, GIFT BOXES AND/OR OTHER TYPES OF RIBBON.

NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS SUBJECT TO THE ORDER INCLUDE ALL NARROW WOVEN FABRICS, TAPES, AND LABELS THAT FALL WITHIN THIS WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS ORDER.

EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER ARE THE FOLLOWING:

(1) FORMED BOWS COMPOSED OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE;

(2) "PULL-BOWS" (I.E., AN ASSEMBLAGE OF RIBBONS CONNECTED TO ONE ANOTHER, FOLDED FLAT AND EQUIPPED WITH A MEANS TO FORM SUCH RIBBONS INTO THE SHAPE OF A BOW BY PULLING ON A LENGTH OF MATERIAL AFFIXED TO SUCH ASSEMBLAGE) COMPOSED OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS;

(3) NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS COMPRISED AT LEAST 20 PERCENT BY WEIGHT OF ELASTOMERIC YARN (I.E., FILAMENT YARN, INCLUDING MONOFILAMENT, OF SYNTHETIC TEXTILE MATERIAL, OTHER THAN TEXTURED YARN, WHICH DOES NOT BREAK ON BEING EXTENDED TO THREE TIMES ITS ORIGINAL LENGTH AND WHICH RETURNS, AFTER BEING EXTENDED TO TWICE ITS ORIGINAL LENGTH, WITHIN A PERIOD OF FIVE MINUTES, TO A LENGTH NOT GREATER THAN ONE AND A HALF TIMES ITS ORIGINAL LENGTH AS DEFINED IN THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS"), SECTION XI, NOTE 13) OR RUBBER THREAD;

(4) NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS OF A KIND USED FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF TYPEWRITER OR PRINTER RIBBONS;

(5) NARROW WOVEN LABELS AND APPAREL TAPES, CUT-TO-LENGTH OR CUT-TO-SHAPE, HAVING A LENGTH (WHEN MEASURED ACROSS THE LONGEST EDGE-TO-EDGE SPAN) NOT EXCEEDING EIGHT CENTIMETERS;

(6) NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE ATTACHED TO AND FORMING THE HANDLE OF A GIFT BAG;

(7) CUT-EDGE NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS FORMED BY CUTTING BROAD WOVEN FABRIC INTO STRIPS OF RIBBON, WITH OR WITHOUT TREATMENTS TO PREVENT THE LONGITUDINAL EDGES OF THE RIBBON FROM FRAYING (SUCH AS BY MERROWING, LAMINATION, SONO-BONDING, FUSING, GUMMING OR WAXING), AND WITH OR WITHOUT WIRE RUNNING LENGTHWISE ALONG THE LONGITUDINAL EDGES OF THE RIBBON;

(8) NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS COMPRISED AT LEAST 85 PERCENT BY WEIGHT OF THREADS HAVING A DENIER OF 225 OR HIGHER;

(9) NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS CONSTRUCTED FROM PILE FABRICS (I.E., FABRICS WITH A SURFACE EFFECT FORMED BY TUFTS OR LOOPS OF YARN THAT STAND UP FROM THE BODY OF THE FABRIC);

(10) NARROW WOVEN RIBBON AFFIXED (INCLUDING BY TYING) AS A DECORATIVE DETAIL TO NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE, SUCH AS A GIFT BAG, GIFT BOX, GIFT TIN, GREETING CARD OR PLUSH TOY, OR AFFIXED (INCLUDING BY TYING) AS A DECORATIVE DETAIL TO PACKAGING CONTAINING NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE;

(11) NARROW WOVEN RIBBON THAT IS (A) AFFIXED TO NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE AS A WORKING COMPONENT OF SUCH NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE, SUCH AS WHERE NARROW WOVEN RIBBON COMPRISES AN APPAREL TRIMMING, BOOK MARKER, BAG CINCH, OR PART OF AN IDENTITY CARD HOLDER, OR (B) AFFIXED (INCLUDING BY TYING) TO NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE AS A WORKING COMPONENT THAT HOLDS OR PACKAGES SUCH NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE OR ATTACHES PACKAGING OR LABELING TO SUCH NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE, SUCH AS A "BELLY BAND" AROUND A PAIR OF PAJAMAS, A PAIR OF SOCKS OR A BLANKET;

(12) NARROW WOVEN RIBBON(S) COMPRISING A BELT ATTACHED TO AND IMPORTED WITH AN ITEM OF WEARING APPAREL, WHETHER OR NOT SUCH BELT IS REMOVABLE FROM SUCH ITEM OF WEARING APPAREL; AND

(13) NARROW WOVEN RIBBON(S) INCLUDED WITH NON-SUBJECT MERCHANDISE IN KITS, SUCH AS A HOLIDAY ORNAMENT CRAFT KIT OR A SCRAPBOOK KIT, IN WHICH THE INDIVIDUAL LENGTHS OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBON(S) INCLUDED IN THE KIT ARE EACH NO GREATER THAN EIGHT INCHES, THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBON(S) INCLUDED IN THE KIT DOES NOT EXCEED 48 LINEAR INCHES, NONE OF THE NARROW WOVEN RIBBON(S) INCLUDED IN THE KIT IS ON A SPOOL, AND THE NARROW WOVEN RIBBON(S) IS ONLY ONE OF MULTIPLE ITEMS INCLUDED IN THE KIT.

THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THIS ORDER IS CLASSIFIABLE UNDER THE HTSUS STATISTICAL CATEGORIES 5806.32.1020; 5806.32.1030; 5806.32.1050 AND 5806.32.1060. SUBJECT MERCHANDISE ALSO MAY ENTER UNDER SUBHEADINGS 5806.31.00; 5806.32.20; 5806.39.20; 5806.39.30; 5808.90.00; 5810.91.00; 5810.99.90; 5903.90.10; 5903.90.25; 5907.00.60; AND 5907.00.80 AND UNDER STATISTICAL CATEGORIES 5806.32.1080; 5810.92.9080; 5903.90.3090; AND 6307.90.9889. THE HTSUS STATISTICAL CATEGORIES AND SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES; HOWEVER, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE MERCHANDISE UNDER THE ORDER IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER C-570-953.

4. THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION (ITC) NOTIFIED THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT THAT IMPORTS OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, THREATEN MATERIAL INJURY TO THE U.S. INDUSTRY. THE ITC DID NOT DETERMINE, BUT FOR THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, THE DOMESTIC INDUSTRY WOULD HAVE BEEN MATERIALLY INJURED. THEREFORE, COMMERCE WILL ISSUE SEPARATE INSTRUCTIONS TO U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (CBP) TO TERMINATE SUSPENSION AND REFUND ANY CASH DEPOSIT AND RELEASE ANY BOND OR OTHER SECURITY OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, FOR SHIPMENTS, ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION PRIOR TO 09/01/2010, THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE ITC'S FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER (75 FR 53711).

5. FOR IMPORTS OF NARROW WOVEN RIBBONS WITH WOVEN SELVEDGE FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, CBP SHALL RESUME SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION OF

ENTRIES OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 09/01/2010, THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE ITC'S FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER (75 FR 53711). EFFECTIVE 09/01/2010, CBP SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT EQUAL TO THE MARGINS FOR THE PRODUCERS AND/OR EXPORTERS LISTED IN THE COMPANY DETAILS TABLE APPENDED TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS MESSAGE.

6. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD OPERATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577 RESPECTIVELY (GENERATED BY O1: SH).

7. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

Case #	Rate	Party Indicator*	Party ID	Party Name
C-570-953-000	1.56%	E		ALL OTHERS
C-570-953-000	1.56%	M		ALL OTHERS
C-570-953-001		E		YAMA RIBBONS AND BOWS CO., LTD.
C-570-953-001	1.56%	I		XIAMEN YAMA IMPORT & EXPORT CO., LTD.
C-570-953-001		M		YAMA RIBBONS AND BOWS CO., LTD.
C-570-953-002	117.95%	M		CHANGTAI RONGSHU TEXTILE CO., LTD.